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DEPARTMENT PLEASE PASS TO JACK BLUM OF SENATE FOREIGN  
RELATIONS COMMITTEE STAFF.

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SUBJECT: LOCKHEED: PRESS REPORTS CLOSING OF SENATE  
INVESTIGATION OF LOCKHEED ACTIVITIES IN FRG.

REF: BONN 3904

GERMAN PRESS REPORTED MARCH 12 ON INSIDE PAGES APPARENT  
END OF U.S. SENATE INVESTIGATION OF POSSIBLE BRIBERY  
ACTIVITY IN GERMANY BY REPRESENTATIVES OF LOCKHEED.  
STORIES SAY THAT SENATE SUBCOMMITTEE ON MULTINATIONAL  
CORPORATIONS WAS UNABLE TO ASCERTAIN WHO WAS TELLING THE  
TRUTH IN THE CONTRADICTORY TESTIMONY OF ERNST HAUSER AND  
OTHER LOCKHEED REPRESENTATIVES AND THEREFORE WOULD NOT  
PUBLISH THE RECORD OF THE HEARINGS. DPA CITED "RELIABLE  
SOURCES" IN BONN AS SAYING THE FRG PROBABLY WOULD SEEK  
TO OBTAIN RELEVANT DOCUMENTS FROM THE SUBCOMMITTEE, BUT  
THAT IT WAS UNCERTAIN IF THE FRG WOULD CONTINUE INVEST-  
IGATIONS INTO THE MATTER.  
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